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## CLOUD'S ROW New Castle, New Castle County, Delaware

Owner: Individual dwellings and owners.

Date of Erection: Before 1804. Six units

Present Condition: Varies in individual houses from fair to good.

Number of Stories: Three and one half and cellar

Materials of Construction: Brick laid on flemish bond, stories marked by stone belt courses. Flat brick arches over windows.

Other Existing Records: New Castle Survey and Maps of 1804. Offices of Recorder of Deeds and Register of Wills of New Castle County.

Additional Data: This row is interesting as it is one of the earliest examples of the row idea in Delaware City architecture, by utilizing common dividing walls from motives of economy in space and expense, and giving necessary space by vertical rather than horizontal additions. Service access is given all houses by a passage way in end of row and thence along the rear. The usual later development is by a narrow passage way common to each pair of dwellings in the row.

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